LOCAL NEWS.

ALARM OF FIRE. -The alarm of fire between nine and ten o'clock last night was caused by the partial burning of a small portion of the weather-boarding of the old building on Royal street, between King and Prince, belonging to Mr. Arthur Taylor, and formerly known as the city sour-house. The flames were detected. before they had spread to any extent, by Maj. Duffey, who happened to be standing at the intersection of King and Royal streets, and who instantly ran to the scene, and with the assistance of a boy extinguished them by pull ing off the ignited planks. The fire depart ment was speedily out, but its services were not required. The fire was the work of an incenduary—a large quantity of candle wick, sat-urated with coal oil, having been discovered at the base of the flames. Considering the hour, the agreeable temperature, the numbers of people out on the streets or sitting at their windows near the scene, the location, and the position of the building fired, this was one of the boldest attempts at incendiarism on record

"OH. EVER THUS." - Disappointment is the lot of man-and woman. The Lone Star Socials, a club of young gentlemen, were to have given a soiree at their hall, in Stewart's building, last night. The room was brilliantly illuminated, and the company—belles and beaux—had arrived, but Cook's band, of Washington, which had been engaged to furnish the music. failed to appear, and so the assemblage, having waited until midnight in expectation of hearing a bugle horn announcing the approach of the band, silently went home, some of them

"Oh, ever thus from childhood's hour I've seen my fondest hopes decay."

Carriage loads of invited guests from Washington arrived late, and their disappointment was, if anything, greater than that of the na-

FISHTOWN. - Appearances at Fishtown this morning were gloomy enough to satisfy the most ardent reannexationists, and agents, packers, hucksters, cleaners, booth keepers, and all engaged in operations there looked sufficiently The fishing season of 1874, it is now conceded, will be, unless the future receipts prove unprecedentally large, the greatest failure on record -that is as regards the catch, for, fortunately, prices have ruled high, and those fishermen who have sent any fish to market have made money. Owing to the favorable change in the weather yesterday it was expected that the receipts to-day would be large, bets having been offered that at least 300,000 herring would be landed at the wharf, and the disappointment was great when that expectation was not realized by 260,000 -40,000 comprising the re-

STATE TAX BILL .- The new State tax bill, published in yesterday's Gazette simultaneously with the telegram announcing its having received the signature of the Governor, raised a commotion among the merchants, the like of which has been rarely seen. The new law is their respective homes. the topic of general conversation, and, among the class affected by it, of general condemnation. At the meeting of the Commercial Exchange, this morning, the question of calling a meeting to take steps with regard to raising a fund to test the validity of the new law, was informally discussed, and though no definite action was taken, it is by no means improbable that such a meeting will be convened. censures cast upon the Governor for signing the bill, and upon those members of the Ler islature who voted for it, are by no means slight, and annexation to the District of Colum- \$74.97 per annum, from May 1, 1874. bia is freely canvassed as a means of escape from the operous taxation.

POLICE REPORT. -The following cases have been reported at police headquarters since yes-

Agnes McCarthy, for disorderly conduct on Peyton street, was fixed and discharged. Henry Carter, colored, for molesting colored girls on their way home from church, on Queen | ton city. street, was fined and discharged.

Warrants were issued for the arrest of Mollie Warner, colored, implicated in the preceding case, and for Toot Henderson, Dave Markland

and Willie James in the same offence for which Henry Carter was punished.

Sam. Wright, a stranger, for disorderly conduct at the house of Lieut. J. L. Smith, was locked up for examination.

Mollie McDugan, committed to the work house yesterday, escaped from that place this

morning. Three lodgers were accommodated at the station house last night.

CANAL NEWS .-- As will be seen by reference to the canal commerce in to-day's Gazette, The cause of the late detention has been the high water at Big Slack Water, where, even as late as Wednesday, the water was over the mules backs on the tow path, and which point the boats that are now arriving passed by floating, their mules being unable to traverse the tow path. The whole line of the caual is reported to be in good condition-the high water having occasioned no damage-and a lively trade is expected.

MAY DAY. -- The temperature to-day has been mild, but though the wind has been from the west, there have been only slight intervals of supshine. No May balls have been heard of and no white pants and white dresses seen; and it is extremely doubtful whether any of the numerous pretty girls the city boasts of took the trouble to be out of bed at surrise this morning to try their fortunes by breaking an egg in a tumbler of water as their mothers used to do.

No LECTURE. - The lecture to have been delivered at Sarepta Hall, last night, by Miss Myrtle de la Hooke Boone, a beautiful and accomplished younger sister of the Boone chil dren, who, before the war, were celebrated for their remarkable dramatic representations here and throughout the country, was indefinitely postponed, and the money returned to the few ticket holders present. Lectures, as a general thing, do not prove attractive in Alexandria.

GRANGES .- Addison Borst has been appointed assistant deputy to organize granges in the Northern Neck of Virginia. His address is Passpatanzy postoffice, King George county, and applications must be sent to him. Not less than nine gentlemen and four ladies, nor more was presented by the constant of the constan than twenty gentlemen and ten ladies will be required to organize a Grange. The tees-three dollars for the former and fifty cents for the latter-must be collected in advance.

BRIDGE ACROSS THE EASTERN BRANCH. -At a meeting of the Congressional Committee on the District of Columbia yesterday, General Chipman's new bill to build a bridge over the Eistern branch of the Potomac was considered, and the committee agreed to report it favorably, and ask that the Committee on Appropriations insert the necessary appropriation in the miscellaneous appropriation bill.

Relief. -- The suggestion in yesterday's Gazette in reference to contributions for the sent out by Col. Herbert.

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J. C. MILBURN. louisiana sufferers by the flood has already

HOUSE BROKEN OPEN. - During the absence of the family of Capt. Shirley King from their house on north Royal street, vesterday, some one, who is as yet unknown, entered it by kicking out a panel in the door, and having thoroughly searched it-breaking open drawers and rausacking their contents in their efforts to do so-unbolted the back door and went off. As yet nothing except some few articles of clothing have been missed.

CITY SCHOOL BOARD. - A called meeting of the City School Board will be held to-night, at which, as important business will come up, a full and punctual attendance is very desir-

DELITIQUENT TAXES .- The tax collectors, under an ordinance of the City Council, advertise, in to day's Gazette, the real estate upon which taxes are delinquent.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

No one has yet been found who will agree to take charge of the chain gang at 1.50 a day, during good weather, for when it is raining the gang may die, but never works. A resolution passed the Common Council at its last meeting requesting the Mayor to detail a policeman to take charge of the gang, but before it reached the Board of Aldermen that Board had ad-

Of all the Alexandrians who were engaged in the surveys for the Costa Rica Railroad, the only one who remains in that country at present is Mr. George Latham, and he, it is understood, will return next September. Mr. Cornelius Cox. the last one but Mr. Latham, returned on Wednesday last.

Brown and Leonard, the two colored men who were seen with the late Mr. Bennett, whose dead body was found on the A. & W. R. R. sometime ago, are now living near Colchester. They had a difficulty a short time since, during which one shot the other through the leg.

It will be seen by reference to the notice of the Secretary of the Alexandria Water Company, published elsewhere in to-day's Gazette that the flow of water will be cut off on Sunday miserable to gladly apply wings to themselves and fly at once into the District of Columbia.

The numerous friends of Coroner Samuel Beach will regret to learn that his health has become so much impaired of late, that serious fears of his recovery are beginning to be enter-

Mr. T. M. Griffith, of New York, who lately purchased a farm on the Leesburg turopike, near this city, arrived here yesterday with his family and has taken possession of his new

Nothing has yet been done by the congregation of the 2nd Presbyterian Church towards securing the services of a pastor, though the pulpit, it is thought, will be supplied every Sunday. The Legislature having adjouraed yesterday,

Mr. I. C. O'Neal, the Delegate from this city, has returned. Several other delegates also arrived here last night and to day on the way to

Mr. G. H. Phillips, will "top off" Harlow's new buildings, near the intersection of Royal and Cameron streets, this afternoon, with the

Col. W. H. Pettis, the officer supervising the improvements to forts Foote and Washington, was in this city yesterday, making arrangements for the active prosecution of that work.

usual coremonies.

R. B. Tavenner has been designated as mail & O. Railroad six times a week each way, at

The work of improving the side walks on Washington street was commenced this morn-

MARRIED.

In Trinity Church, Washington, on the 30th ultimo, by Rev. Dr. Addison, assisted by Rev. W. A. Aldrich, JAMES M. LOVE, of Fairfax Court House, Virginia, to Miss MARIA B., daughter of Mr. Charles Weaver, of Wasning-

At the residence of the bride's father, on the Julia Brown, colored, for disorderly conduct on north Lee street, near Princess, was fined and discharged.

29th ultimo, in Gordonsville, Vs., by Rev. Dr. Bettleheimer, of Richmond, Mr. A. GOLD-BACK, of Richmond, to Miss HENRIETTA

DIED. On the 28th of April, at Rapid Ann station, the residence of his grandfather, W. S. Peyton, JOHNNIE PEYTON, oldest son of J. Lee and Jennie W. Grimes, aged four years, eleven months and five days.

Suffer little children to come unto Me; Suffer them to come and forbid them not. For of such the Kingdom of Heaven mus. be, Saith the blesse I Saviour the Son of God.

A regular meeting of the Relief Hook and Ladder Co will be held this [Friday] evening, at eight o'clock. PARK AGNAW. my 1. It

canal boats have again commenced to arrive. OFFICE ALEXANDRIA WATER CO. Alexandria, May 1, 1874
The water consumers will please take notice that it will be necessary to cut off the flow of water to the city from 2 o'clock Sunday morning until 7 o'clock Sunday afternoon. They will please provide themselves with a day's sup-

ply Saturday evening my 1-2t T. D. FENDALL Secretary. my 1-2t CENTAUR LINIMENT, CASTORIA, Pearl's White Glycerine, Trask's Magnetic Ointment, Poud's Extract, Sozodont, Tarrant's Seitzer Aperient, Tutt's Pills Simmon's Liver Regulator, Vinegar Bitters, Wizard Oil, Flagg's Relief, Piso's Cure, Hubbet's Bitters, Wine of Iron, &c., just received and for sale by my 1 E S. LE UDBEATER & BRO

SOAPS-White and Colored Castile Soap, Lubin's Low's Brown Windsor, Yankee Shaving and a large assortment of Fine Toile

Soaps, for sale by my 1 E. S. LEADBEACER & BRO. WANTED - A BOY, about 15 or 16 years of age, to learn the manufacture of Earth enware. Apply at 127 Wilkes atreet W. LEWIS MILBURN.

CANNED PEACHES, Pineapple, Quinces, Tomatoes, Corn, Lobsters, and Cove Oysters, for sale by

J. C. MILBURN. ap 30 NEW GOODS AT C. C. BERRY'S.

Cambric Edgings and Insertings. Veilings, Collars and Cuffs, Silk, Leather and Elastic Belts and Buckles, Pearl Silk, Steel and other Buttons in great variety, Corsets, Ladies', Gents' and Children's Hosiery, Kid Gioves, one and two buttons, Parasols and Sun Umbrellas, with ap 17 a great variety of other goods.

Corner Prince and Fairfax streets ROACHES AND ANTS.—Persons troubled with ROACHES AND ANTS will do well to call and examine the UNIVERSAL IN-SECT GUN, a sure remedy for their destruc-tion. Also a supply of PERSIAN INSECT POWDER, to be sold in bulk at ap 22 W. FRANKLIN CREIGHTON.

GEORGE R. HILL & CO., Steam Cracker & Cake Bakers,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

PATAPSCO COTTON YARNS. April 13, 1874 Just received and for sale cheap to country

merchants or consumers.
D. F. BRASHEAR,

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

FROM WASHINGTON.

CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, May 1, 1874. In the Senate, to-day, the credentials of W. P. Washburn, Senator elect from the State of Massachusetts, vice Charles Sumner, deceased, were presented, and Mr. Washbarn appeared, took the usual oaths, and became a Schator

from Massachusetts. It was agreed that when the Senate adjourn to-day it be until Monday next.

A large number of memorials were presented but none from Virginia. A bill was reported for the relief of the suf-

ferers by the floods in the Mississippi. The Senate then resumed the consideration

of the Supplementary Civil Rights bill. The House of Representatives received reports from the Committee on Indian Affairs. Mr. Hancock delivered an address upon the

subject of Indian affairs. A number of District bills were reported from the District Committee.

The House then took up the River and Harbor Appropriation bill. DISTRICT AFFAIRS

The District Investigation Committee are in secret session to-day, and it is reported that most important developments have been made.

FROM RICHMOND.

ADJOURNMENT OF THE LEGISLATURE

RICHMOND, May 1.-The Legislature adjourned last night until the first Wednesday in December next.

The Senate met at 8 o'clock, when a message was received from the House of Delegates announcing the passage by that body of a joint resolution appointing a committee of two on the part of the Senate and three on the part of the House, to wait on the Governor and inform him of the readiness of the General Assembly to adjourn.

The resolution having been agreed to and the committee on the part of the Senate appointed, the Senate was soon after informed, through the committee, that the Governor had no further communication to make, whereupon, the usual resolutions of thanks to the officers, was tendered, and the Secate adjourn-'ed amid the adieus and good wishes of the

The House of Delegates met at 8 o'clock and appointed a committee in conjunction with a like committee of the Senate, to wait on the Governor, who having performed their duty and reported that the Governor had no further communication to make, the thanks of the House were tendered the ministers of the city, Speakers and officers, &c., and the House then adjourned.

being the regular semi-aunual settling day at messenger between Hauston, Va., and the W. | the Bank of England, there are no quotations for securities.

LONDON, May 1 .- The weather throughout England to-day is fair.

BAYONNE, May 1.—Five hundred Republi-

can soldiers, wounded in the recent engagements with the Carlists before Bilbao, have arrived at Santander.

MADRID, May 1 -- Information has been received here of the defeat in the province of Tarragona of a body of Carlists, 2,000 strong, by a force of national troops numbering only 900 men. The Republicans have lately defeated and dispersed several bands of Carlists in

Arragon and Albecetc.
MADRID, May 1.-The government is sanguine that Bilbao will be relieved by Marshal Serrano's army within a week.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 1 -- Intelligence has reached here that a famine prevails in Asia Minor and that many persons are starving. It is stated that in the town of Augora alone one hundred deaths occur daily from starvation. The river Tigris is again swollen by heavy

rains, and further floods are apprehended. London, May 1, 4:30 p. m —The amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day is £6 000.

Execution of Waltz.

Hudson, N. Y., May 1 .- Joseph Waltz was hanged in the Catskill jail this morning. He appeared perfectly stolid on the scaffold and took no notice of the surroundings. His neck was not broken, but after hanging for fourteen minutes he was pronounced dead from strangulation. His father witnessed the execution and took possession of the body.

From New York. NEW YORK, May 1 .- Francis Ubassy has challenged Albert Garnier to play a match game of billiards, 1000 points up for \$500 aside according to the championship rules. Officer Michael J. Lane was shot and dangerously wounded last night while attempting

to arrest a thief. Weather Probabilities.

Washington, May 1, 11 a. m. For the Middle States, rising temperature, partly cloudy weather, possibly occasional light rain and west to south winds, the latter shifting to easterly over the western portion to-night. The Ohio river, at Pittsburgh and the lower

Missouri will continue falling and former at Louisville and Evan-ville, rising. The Mississippi below Cairo will remain nearly station-

During April the highest temperature was on the 15th, 72° and the lowest on the 5th, 24° rain fell on 17 days.

The Markets.

New York, April 30. -Stocks dull, Money Gold 123. Flour steady. Wheat a shade firmer. Corn firm.

Baltimore, May 1.--Va. sixes, old, 32; do. consolidated, 51. West Va. sixes 11 bid. Cotton quiet and steady; low middlings 164a16\$. Flour quiet but firm; prices unchanged. Wheat steady; Pennsylvania red 176a178. Corn firmer; white Southern 86:87; vellow do. 83:84; mixed Western, new, 83; old 86. Oats dull; Southern 60 66; Western 59a63. Rye quiet at 103a105. Hay unchanged. Provisions dull and nominal.

PLASTERING AND WHITEWASHING.

PARRIS SIMMS. N. E. COR. PRINCE & ST. AS .PH STS., (Opposite the Postoffice,) Is prepared to execute in the best manner and without inconvenience or dirt, Plastering, Whitewashing and Pointing at the lowest rates.

FOR RENT-HOUSE No. 60, south St. rented to a good tenant on moderate terms.
FOR SALE-SEVERAL LOTS, bounded by Oronoko, Pendieton, Patrick and Alfred streets, can be bought on reasonable terms. Apply to [ap 30] E. FRANCIS.

FAMILY FLOUR

SALE OF PROPERTY FOR NON-PAYMENT OF CITY TAXES.

By direction of the City Council, will be exposed at public sale, on
TUESDAY, the 6th day of October, 1874, in front of the Market Building, Royal street, Alexandria, Va., the following
LOTS AND IMPROVEMENTS
thereon, or as much thereof as may be necessa-

thereon, or as much thereof as may be necessary to pay and satisfy the taxes, assessments or charges due to the City Council of Alexandria on the same—this being a regular sale of delin-quent property duly returned as such by the Collectors, under oath, as provided in the City

Charter. The purchasers will be required to pay at the time of sale the taxes, assessments, ch rges and expenses of sale. The pro-prietor or proprietors of such lots, his or their heirs, representatives or agents, may, within two years from the day o sale, pay to the purchaser thereof, or to the Mayor, the money paid for such taxes, charges and expenses, as a oresaid, with twelve per cent um per annum as interest thereon, or make a tender of the same, in wai hevent he shall be reinstated in his original title. If no such payment or tender be made within two years next after the sale, the purch ser will be required to pay the remainder of the purchase money into the treasury of the City Council, where it will remain subject to the order of the proprietor or his legal representative; and the purchaser, on the payment of the whole amount of the purchaser will receive a title to the said let. chase money, will receive a title to the said let or lots, or such parts thereof, in fee simple, from

or lots, or such parts the Mayor.

The sale will commence at ten o'clock a.m. on the day specified, and if not completed on that day, will be continued from day to day, and from time to time until completed.

JNO. T. HILL, Col. North. Dist.
S. K. FIELD, Col. South. Dist.

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Burley James, 1 Fairfax.
Burley James, 1 Fair, bet Prin & Oro, Blacklock D & S, 1 Un, Bayne Wm, 1 Wat, bet King and Pr. Baggott Sam'l O, 1 n w cor Wy & Col, Bentley Rich, 1 Patrick, Bayliss J D, 1 n e cor Pat and Queen, Cazenove Louis A, 1 St Asaph, Conway Rich, est, 4 sq Pay, Pen & Or, Carter Leonard, 1 Patrick, do 1 Queen, 22 60

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do 1 Queen,
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House were tendered the ministers of the city,
Speakers and efficers, &c., and the House then
adjourned.

Foreign News.

London, May 1.—in consequence of this being the regular semi-annual settling day at the consequence of the city,
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do. l Fayette, bet Cam & Queen,
Taylor L B. i Fair, bet Prin & Oro,

Washington Nelly, I sq Wy & Col, Washington Willie, I sq Pitt, Madison and St Asaph, Withers John, est. Is a cor Oro & Pat, Wheeler Wm, h I cor Cam & Pat,

SOUTHERN DISTRICT. Alley J B, lot Water and alley, Beadle H W, I cor Pot and Frank, Brown C W, h I Water, B. ent & Kinzer, I Wat & Jefferson, Blacklock S, & lot Fair, bet Frank & Jeff, 5 80 Cook J G, 4 sq Jefferson and Fairfax, do. 4 sq Green and Fairfax, Cook stephen, 1 Fairfax and Franklin, do. 1 Fair, bet Jefferson and Frank,

do 1 sq Green and Church, do. 4 sq Church to line, Contee Laura, 129 Franklin, between St

Asaph and Washington, Chase Lucinda, 1 Washington, English Jas A, est, 2 h l, Henry, Ellicott Andrew, 3 l west side Fairfax and river, Forrest B, trustee, I cor Frank & Union,

do, I Water, bet Frank and Gibbon, do. I cor Duke and Payne, 134 28 do l Payne, Guisendatier Chr, l Peyton, Grubb J B, 4 sq Alfred and Wilkes, Gheen J, lot Alfred, 62 08 18 28 Gordan Wm, est, l Aifred, Hooc E T, l cor Wilkes and Royal, 66 00 Hodges Thos, h l Un, bet Gib & Frank, Hooff P H, l Union, Hunter R W, est, l Un, bet Gib & Frank, Hopkins Alfred, l Duke, 19 50 Heymes Jno, est, l Gilbon,
Janney Jos, h l Henry,
Kephart Geo, est, l Duke,
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Lee R H, l cor Duke and Patrick, 9 04

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Moore A F, h 1 St Asaph,
Minor G S, 1 Duke, bet Pat and Henry,
Miller & Williams, 127 Franklin,
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VEGETINE purifies the blood and renovates and invigorates the whole system. Its medical properties are alterative, tonic, solvent and diuretic. Just received and for saie by WARFIELD & HALL,

Corner Prince and Fairfax streets. WE KEEP constantly on hand an assort-ment of READY-MADE WORK, such as Doors, Sashes, B.inds, Frames, Mouldings, Brackets, &c. B. F. PEAKE & CO.

VALENTINE'S MEAT JUICE, Marvin's Cod Liver Oil and Tilden's Elixir Iodo-Bromide Calcium Compound -just received and JANNEY & CO. POILET SETS-White Granite Fancy Earth-

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Sets, new and handsome styles, just received an i Sets, new and manuscript for sale low at 65 King street.

E J. MILLER. VEGETINE eradicates from the system every taint of Scrofula, Scrofulous Humors, Tumors, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum and diseases arising from blood. For sale by WARFIELD & HALL.

ap 18 WINES and BRANDIES manufactured by M. B. Buck are warranted free from all adulteration, and are now sold at greatly reduced prices by R. M. LAWSON.

(AROLINA RICE, a prime article, just received and for sale GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, ap 13 166 and 170 King street.

J. C. MILBURN.

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TIME BY THE FORELOCK."

WE ARE INSURING AN EARLY SALE OF OUR LARGE AND ELEGANT

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